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Re: COVID-19 Child Care Initiatives Extended Through June 30, 2021

Dear Child Care Provider:

As part of Governor Philip D. Murphy's Child Care Initiatives in response to COVID-19, the New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Family Development (DHS/DFD) is extending the following COVID-19 related child care assistance programs through June 30, 2021.

- Full-Time Child Care Assistance for School Age: the division will continue to pay for children approved for full-time care through the NJ Child Care Subsidy Program due to remote learning through June 30, 2021.
- Child Care Tuition Assistance for School-Age Children: the extension will happen automatically for approved families currently enrolled in your program and who continue to need child care while their child (5-13 years old) attends remote learning through June 30, 2021.

Tuition Assistance monthly payments will continue to be issued directly to providers. Providers can now view their Tuition Assistance payment record on NJCCIS at https://njccis.com.

- **Supplemental Payments:** the division will issue an additional supplemental payment of \$300 for full-time care per subsidy-eligible child or \$150 for part-time care per subsidy eligible child, through June, including infants, toddlers, preschoolers and school-age children enrolled in your program.
- **Enrollment-based Payment:** the division will continue to pay providers based on enrollment rather than attendance through June 30, 2021.

Should you have any questions, please contact your local Child Care Resource and Referral Agency (CCR&R).

Questions related to Child Care Tuition Assistance for School-Age Children, please visit https://njccis.com.

Thank you.